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Sir or Madam:

This is responsive to the "Notice To File Missing Parts" mailed on March 29, 2002, and setting a two-month period for response which ends on May 29, 2002. The Examiner has requested that a substitute Sequence Listing in compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.822 and/or 1.823 be provided. Applicant submits this Preliminary Amendment and Response to provide, as a separate part of the disclosure, a "Sequence Listing" pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825. Applicant submits herewith a substitute Sequence Listing in paper copy and in a computer readable form on a floppy disk. The contents of the paper and computer readable copies are the same and include no new matter.

Prior to examination of the instant application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the Sequence Listing filed March 1, 2002, beginning on page 58 and ending on page 83, with the Substitute Sequence Listing attached herewith as pages --1-26--.

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